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FOLLOWING REPEAT MANILA 10286 ACTION SECSTATE DATED JUNE 19, 1978.

QUOTE: C O N F I D E N T I A L MANILA 10286

E.O.11652: N/A
TAGS: PDIP, SHUM, RP
SUBJECT: GOP PROTESTS ALLEGED VIOLATION OF DIPLOMATIC
PREMISES

REF: STATE 153961

1. HAVE APPOINTMENT WITH ROMULO TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 20,
TO DISCUSS NEW YORK INCIDENT. WILL ALSO USE OCCASION GET
HIS IMPRESSIONS ON RECENTLY CONCLUDED ASEAN CONFERENCE IN
THAILAND.

2. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE FROM WIRE SERVICES, MARCOS MADE
FORMAL STATEMENT TO PRESS OVER WEEKEND TO EFFECT THAT HE
DID NOT FORESEE NEW YORK INCIDENT AS HAVING ADVERSE EFFECT
ON ONGOING BASE NEGOTIATIONS. IN VIEW MARCOS' OBVIOUS
INTEREST IN LIMITING DAMAGE, PREFER NOT RPT NOT TAKE NEW
YORK INCIDENT UP WITH HIM AS SOLE ISSUE. HOWEVER, EXPECT
TO SEEK MEETING WITHIN NEXT FEW DAYS WHEN I WILL HAVE IN
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HAND MATERIALS HE REQUESTED CONCERNING SINO-SOVIET AND SINO-
VIETNAMESE DEVELOPMENTS.

3. NEW YORK INCIDENT WILL BE WITH US FOR LONG TIME TO COME.
IT HAS GIVEN IRRESISTIBLE OPPORTUNITY FOR FILIPINOS TO
PREACH TO US CONCERNING HUMAN RIGHTS ABUSES IN UNITED STATES,
IN RETURN FOR WHAT THEY REGARD AS EXCESSIVE AND GRATUITOUS

ADVICE GIVEN THEM OVER PAST YEAR.

4. ON OTHER HAND, WISH RECORD REPORTS OF EMBASSY STAFF
THAT MANY FILIPINOS OF THEIR ACQUAINTANCE HAVE BEEN
GENUINELY DISTURBED BY NEW YORK INCIDENT AND THAT IT IS
NOT SIMPLY BEING EXPLOITED BY GOP AS WAY OF SCORING ONE
OFF OF USG. MURPHY UNQUOTE VANCE

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